

Commonwealth Information Security Council

October 15, 2007 Meeting

Overview

The meeting was attended by the following Council members:

Mike Garner (Tax),	Marie Greenberg (SCC),
Goran Gustavsson (APA),	David Hines (Supreme Court),
Robert Jenkins (DJJ),	John Karabaic (telephone) (DMAS),
John Palese (DSS),	Shirley Payne, UVA
Steve Werby (DOC),	Cathie Brown (VITA ex-officio)
Peggy Ward (VITA ex-officio).	
Not present: Aaron Mathes (OAG)	

Also attending were Marie Batiste (DMV), Joel McPherson (DSS), Jim Rappe (ABC) and Tripp Sims (VITA).

The following items were discussed at the Commonwealth Information Security Council meeting, held on October 15, 2007 at CESC in Chester, VA.

Michael McDaniel and John Palese reported that the Encryption Committee is working on the information security survey.

Mike Garner and Marie Greenberg reported that the Identity and Access Management Committee has taken the "Trust Model" from New York and had adopted it to Virginia with much authoring by Jim Rappe (ABC). They also stated that they had arranged four vendor demos this week and all are invited.

The Small Agency Outreach Committee reported that two small agencies contacted them for help concerning their security awareness training (Aviation and the Employee Relations Council). There was also discussion Security Awareness alternatives such as the MOAT training and the MS-ISAC cd provided to the Department of Human Resource Management for review last week.

John Karabaic and Shirley Payne reported that the Making IT Security an Executive Management Priority Committee reported that they were preparing information security awareness articles for the October editions of the Leadership Communiqué. For the final Leadership communiqué article they are collecting agencies' efforts to celebrate October as Cyber Security Awareness month. They also advised that an information security article would be coming out in the magazine "Capital Connections" at the end of October. Deputy Secretary Napier has arranged for Peggy to meet with each of the Deputy Secretaries in the Cabinet, to make each more aware of information security awareness issues particularly in their Secretariat. Additionally, invitations to speak at two Cabinet Secretary's meeting with their agency were received and accepted by Peggy.

Michael McDaniel discussed options for the electronic IT security survey. This included options such as password-protecting surveys, creating personal accounts, and creating individual questions. Questions for the IT Security Survey will be drafted by the end of October and reviewed at the November council meeting with a push to have the survey distributed by December 1.

Tripp Sims presented the Citizens Awareness Banner with the changes discussed at the last IS Council meeting. All additional comments on the Citizens Awareness Banner should be sent to Tripp.

Tripp presented the IS Council Page which has the majority of the pictures and biographies for each Council member. Any additional pictures and biographies should be provided to Trip so they can be uploaded immediately. Rob Jenkins suggested that titles either be added for all or deleted so that we are consistent. Marie Greenberg suggested that Cathie and Peggy be added as well.

Tripp discussed his presentation to the Webmasters meeting. David Hines suggested the presentation might be useful for all and we agreed to add it to the ISOAG meeting. David also requested that the IS Council receive information on the webmasters group.

Vendor representatives came to present a demo on their identity and access management solution.